

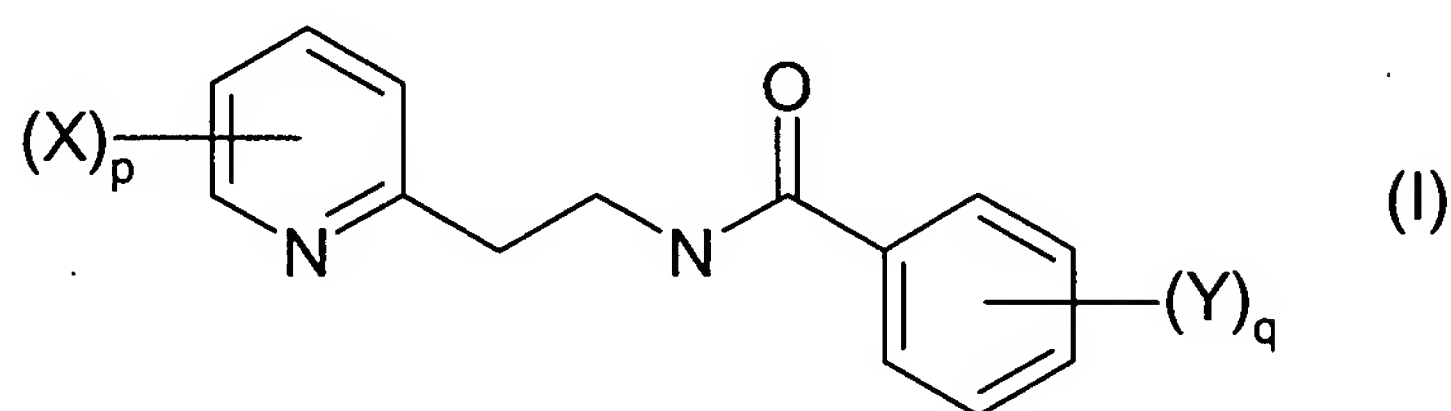
Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

1. (Previously Presented) A composition comprising:

(A) a pyridylethylbenzamide derivative of formula (I)



in which:

p is an integer equal to 1, 2, 3 or 4;

q is an integer equal to 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5;

each substituent X is independently selected from the group consisting of halogen, alkyl and haloalkyl;

each substituent Y is independently selected from the group consisting of halogen, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, haloalkyl, alkoxy, amino, phenoxy, alkylthio, dialkylamino, acyl, cyano, ester, hydroxy, aminoalkyl, benzyl, haloalkoxy, halosulphonyl, halothioalkyl, alkoxyalkenyl, alkylsulphonamide, nitro, alkylsulphonyl, phenylsulphonyl and benzylsulphonyl;

and to the N-oxides of 2-pyridine thereof; and

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- (B) a compound capable of inhibiting methionine biosynthesis;
in an (A)/(B) weight ratio of from 0.01 to 20.
2. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 wherein p is 2.
 3. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 wherein q is 2.
 4. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 wherein each X is independently selected from the group consisting of halogen and haloalkyl.
 5. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 wherein each X is independently selected from the group consisting of a chlorine atom and a trifluoromethyl group.
 6. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 wherein each Y is independently selected from the group consisting of halogen and haloalkyl.
 7. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 wherein each Y is independently selected from the group consisting of a chlorine atom and a trifluoromethyl group.

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8. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 wherein the compound of formula (I) is selected from the group consisting of:

N-{2-[3-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl]ethyl}-2-trifluoromethylbenzamide;

N-{2-[3-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl]ethyl}-2-iodobenzamide; and

N-{2-[3,5-dichloro-2-pyridinyl]ethyl}-2-trifluoromethylbenzamide.

9. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 8 wherein the compound of formula (I) is N-{2-[3-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl]ethyl}-2-trifluoromethylbenzamide.

10. (Currently Amended) The composition of claim 1 wherein ~~that~~ the compound capable of inhibiting the methionine biosynthesis is selected from the group consisting of ~~cyprodinyl~~ cyprodinil, mepanipyrin and pyrimethanil.

11. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 further comprising:

(C) a fungicidal compound.

12. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 11 wherein the fungicidal compound is selected from the group consisting of captane, propineb, fenhexamid, trifloxystrobin, tolylfluanid, iprodione, procymidone and chlorotalonil.

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13. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 1 further comprising at least one member selected from the group consisting of an agriculturally acceptable support, a carrier, a filler and a surfactant.

14. (Previously Presented) A method for controlling phytopathogenic fungi of crops, comprising applying an effective and non-phytotoxic amount of the composition of claim 1 to the seed, the plant and/or to the fruit of the plant or to the soil in which the plant is growing or in which it is desired to grow.

15. (Currently Amended) The composition of claim 9 wherein ~~that~~ the compound capable of inhibiting the methionine biosynthesis is selected from the group consisting of ~~cyprodinyl~~ cyprodinil, mepanipyrim and pyrimethanil.

16. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 15 further comprising:

(C) a fungicidal compound.

17. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 16 wherein the fungicidal compound is selected from the group consisting of captane, propineb, fenhexamid, trifloxystrobin, tolylfluanid, iprodione, procymidone and chlorotalonil.

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18. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 15 further comprising at least one member selected from the group consisting of an agriculturally acceptable support, a carrier, a filler and a surfactant.

19. (Previously Presented) A method for controlling phytopathogenic fungi of crops comprising applying an effective and non-phytotoxic amount of the composition of claim 15 to the seed, the plant and/or to the fruit of the plant or to the soil in which the plant is growing or in which it is desired to grow.

20. (Withdrawn - Currently Amended) The composition of claim 9 wherein that the compound capable of inhibiting the methionine biosynthesis is ~~pyrimethanil~~ cyprodinil.